1 2 3 4 5 6 7 UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT WESTERN DISTRICT OF WASHINGTON 8 AT SEATTLE 9 JAMES ANTHONY WILLIAMS, CASE NO. C24-6018JLR-DWC 10 Plaintiff, **ORDER** 11 v. 12 RYAN QUIRK, et al., 13 Defendants. 14 15 On December 11, 2024, pro se Plaintiff James Anthony Williams filed a proposed 16 complaint under 42 U.S.C. § 1983 and a motion seeking leave to proceed in forma 17 pauperis ("IFP"). (Prop. Compl. (Dkt. # 1-2); IFP Mot. (Dkt. # 1).) On January 3, 2025, 18 Magistrate Judge David W. Christel found that Mr. Williams has incurred at least three 19 "strikes" under 28 U.S.C. § 1915(g) and is therefore ineligible to proceed in this action 20 without prepayment of fees. (R&R (Dkt. #4).) Magistrate Judge Christel recommended 21 22

1 that Mr. Williams's IFP motion be denied and that he be required to pay the \$405.00 2 filing fee before proceeding with this action. (See id.) 3 On January 27, 2025, the court adopted Magistrate Judge Christel's report and 4 recommendation in its entirety, and directed Mr. Williams to pay the \$405.00 filing fee 5 by February 27, 2025. (See 1/27/25 Order (Dkt. # 5).) The court warned Mr. Williams that "failure to pay the filing fee by that date will result in dismissal without prejudice." 6 7 (*Id*.) 8 Mr. Williams did not pay the \$405.00 filing fee by the February 27, 2025 deadline. 9 (See generally Dkt.) Accordingly, Mr. Williams's proposed complaint and this action are DISMISSED without prejudice. The court DIRECTS the Clerk to send copies of this 10 11 order to Mr. Williams and to Magistrate Judge Christel. 12 13 Dated this 28th day of February, 2025. 14 15 United States District Judge 16 17 18 19 20 21 22